Museum on the Mall. Without Ms.' coverage and advocacy, we might still be fighting.

Women comprise half the population. But we get nowhere near half the attention on critical issues. Most other magazines and new outlets swoop in to cover monumental women's issues like the rollback of Roe. v. Wade. But Ms. is there every day to cover issues of importance to women and to shine the light on women's often-hidden contributions to all fields.

Today, the Feminist Majority—the magazine's longest-serving publisher—is proudly maintaining Ms.'s 50-year leadership role in shaping and meeting the feminist agenda.

I join millions of women worldwide in recognizing the extraordinary accomplishments and contributions of Ms. Magazine over the past 50 years, and in wishing them every success in the next 50. Because Ms. isn't just a magazine. It's a movement.

# HONORING PAUL AND BETTY WILSON

## HON. LOIS FRANKEL

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Ms. LOIS FRANKEL of Florida. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Paul and Betty Wilson, who are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on November 3, 2022. Paul and Betty live in my hometown, West Palm Beach, Florida and are loved members of our community.

Paul and Betty met at a farm dance in the small town of Whiteland, Indiana. They planned a date that required an hour drive to meet up. On the way, Paul got a flat tire and was late. Betty thought he wasn't going to show up.

Paul not only showed up, he and Betty have been showing up for each other for 60 years. And along the way came five children, many grandchildren and great-grandchildren, who fill their lives with joy.

I wish Paul and Betty a very happy anniversary and best wishes for many more blissful years together.

# CELEBRATING DAVIDSON COUNTY'S BICENTENNIAL

### HON. TED BUDD

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. BUDD. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Davidson County for celebrating its 200th anniversary.

Geographically located in central North Carolina, Davidson County's residents have had an immense impact on the state's development throughout the years. Nestled in the Yadkin River Valley, it was established in 1822 when historic Rowan County was divided along the banks of the Yadkin. The new county was named after Revolutionary War Brigadier General William Lee Davidson, a patriot who was killed at the Battle of Cowan's Ford fighting for our nation's independence. In the centuries both before and since, the land has been the home of other American icons, from

legendary frontiersman Daniel Boone to NASCAR Hall of Famer Richard Childress.

The people of Davidson County are fortunate to have a proud history of agriculture and textiles that formed the bedrock of their economy. Known as the "Barbeque Capital of the World", Davidson hosts the annual Lexington Barbeque Festival which attracts as many as 200,000 visitors to the area each year. The County is also now home to robust sectors in modern manufacturing and is well-positioned for future success. Communities like Davidson County are what makes the Old North State the best place to live, work, and raise a family.

Madam Speaker, please join me in congratulating the people of Davidson County on their bicentennial anniversary. It is my sincere hope that the county will continue to prosper over the next two centuries and beyond.

### IN MEMORY OF DENISE BACON

### HON. SUZANNE BONAMICI

OF OREGON

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Ms. BONAMICI. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Denise Bacon, and to recognize her many years of service to the residents of Newberg, Oregon.

Denise was an advocate, active community member, and treasured friend and colleague to many. As a longtime city council member, Denise was a champion for families and worked tirelessly to better the lives of the residents of Newberg, especially its most vulnerable community members. In times of crisis and stability, Denise was a leader, a bridge-builder, and a policymaker with deeply-rooted integrity. Yamhill County is a better place because of Denise's devotion to improving the lives of those around her.

I express my sincere condolences to Denise's family, colleagues, and all those she served. We can honor her legacy by building kinder communities and leading with respect. Let us continue to serve others in her memory.

HONORING THE HEROIC LIFE AND SERVICE OF HOWARD RICHARD "DICK" NEAHR

### HON. ELISE M. STEFANIK

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Ms. STEFANIK. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and service of United States Army Private First Class, Howard Richard "Dick" Neahr.

Dick was born on July 8, 1924, in Hagedorn Mills, New York. After attending Galway School, he enlisted in the United States Army on April 8, 1943. He attended boot camp at Camp Croft and was soon sent to Liverpool England and Northern Ireland to prepare for the D-Day invasion. Dick proudly served with the 409th Infantry Regiment 103rd Division. After the D-Day invasion was launched, Dick fought valiantly across France and Luxemburg. In January 1945, during the Battle of the Bulge, Dick was shot in the leg and spent eight weeks in the hospital recovering. Despite

his wounds, Dick returned to France to continue fighting for democratic values and freedom. Dick served all throughout Europe including in the Ardennes, Central Europe, and the Rhineland.

Dick rose to the rank of Private First Class and was then discharged from the United States Army in September 1945. Dick was awarded many medals for his selfless service including the Bronze Star, Purple Heart, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. Additionally, he was awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge and the WWII Victory Medal.

After his discharge, Dick worked on his family's farm delivering milk and milling trees. After his military service, Dick continued to dedicate his life to serving the people of New York and worked at the New York State Thruway Authority for 21 years. In addition to serving his community, Dick enjoyed bunting and spending time with his wife, Sylvia Thorton, and their 7 children.

Throughout his life, Dick showed exceptional dedication to his country and community. On behalf of the 21st District of New York, I am honored to recognize the incredible life of Howard Richard "Dick" Neahr and thank him for his service to the country.

# REMEMBERING THERESA "ANNE" MCSORLEY MURPHY

#### HON. JOHN GARAMENDI

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. GARAMENDI. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life and lasting memory of Theresa "Anne" McSorley Murphy. Passing away at the age of 100, Mrs. Murphy leaves behind an indelible legacy through her neverfailing grace, kindness, thoughtfulness, and warm personality. She will be greatly missed by her friends and family, but her legacy of love and kindness will persist.

Mrs. Murphy was born on March 23, 1922, in Mokelumne Hill, California, to Thomas Edward and Kathryn Margaret Pitto McSorley. After their mother's tragic passing in childbirth, Mrs. Murphy and her beloved sister, Mary Jane, were raised single-handedly by their father, Thomas. Despite the accompanying challenges, Thomas was never too busy to spend time with his daughters; Mrs. Murphy fondly recounted her father reading to the girls nightly. The sisters became inseparable growing up—a bond they shared for the rest of their lives.

After graduating from Calaveras Union High School in 1939, Mrs. Murphy went on to attend the University of California Berkeley and Munson Business College in San Francisco. On May 2, 1942, Mrs. Murphy married John Raymond "Jack" Murphy, son of Raymond and Alma (Poe) Murphy, in San Andreas, California. Shortly after their wedding, Mr. Murphy enlisted in the Navy and was stationed at Treasure Island in San Francisco. With the onset of World War II, the couple moved throughout the United States per Mr. Murphy's assignments from the Navy. In 1944, when Mrs. Murphy was seven months pregnant with their first child. Kathleen Anne. Mr. Murphy was commissioned to Southern France. Ceaseless in her resiliency, Mrs. Murphy returned home to Mokelumne Hill to live with her father and began raising their daughter alone.

Mr. Murphy returned to the United States following the end of World War II and the family moved back to San Francisco. Hardships persisted for the family as Mrs. Murphy, seven months pregnant with their second child, contracted polio. Fortunately, Mrs. Murphy survived the disease without side effects and gave birth to their son, Dennis Raymond, without complication. The family went on to welcome their third child, Teresa Anne "Terry," in 1953. After raising their children in Sherman Oaks, in 2000, the couple settled in Roseville, California.

Throughout her life, Mrs. Murphy devoted herself to caring for her family and community. She was a devoted and hardworking mother as well as an invaluable volunteer and leader at school and church events. She donated her time to several charitable organizations including serving as President of Marymount Mother's Club and of Saint Anne's Foundation for Unwed Mothers.

Mrs. Murphy also enjoyed an active lifestyle, including golf, Tai Chi, and walking her beloved dogs. Mr. & Mrs. Murphy were avid travelers, visiting four continents and traversing the United States. Later in life, they took several extended motorhome vacations exploring the colors of the Northeast and the wilderness of Alaska.

Mrs. Murphy is preceded in death by her loving husband of 71 years, Jack. She is survived by three children, six grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and countless friends. We will dearly miss Mrs. Murphy's kind spirit, but her laugh and warm smile will live on in our memories. I would like to extend my deepest sympathies to Mrs. Murphy's loved ones. I know they join in me celebrating her life and the countless ways she changed our lives for the better.

CONGRATULATING LAWRENCE HIGGINBOTTOM BEING NAMED ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER OF THE YEAR

### HON. STEVE COHEN

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. COHEN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Lawrence Higginbottom of Memphis Animal Services, who has been named Animal Control Officer of the Year by the National Animal Care and Control Association. Part of his job-a part he has a reputation for handling well—is reuniting animals with their owners, a priority with progressive animal shelters like Memphis Animal Services that operate on a "community-centered" model, The shelter recently received a \$50,000 grant from an animal welfare group to hire a pet-reunification specialist. According to a story in The Daily Memphian, Mr. Higginbottom recently picked up a dog in Memphis that had been on the loose for five years. Because the dog had received an under-skin microchip, Mr. Higginbottom quickly found the owners by phone-650 miles away in Austin, Texas. The family arrived to pick up Cheerio the next day. Because most dogs are lost less than half a mile from their owners' homes, Mr. Higginbottom often finds himself knocking on nearby neighbors' doors with the lost pet on a leash. When the shelter held a

dog-owner reunification competition among animal control officers this past summer, Mr. Higginbottom won it. As a proud and longtime member of the Congressional Animal Protection Caucus, it is inspiring to know that Memphis has such a caring and thoughtful animal control officer. I congratulate Mr. Higginbottom for this well-deserved national recognition.

RECOGNIZING THE 100TH GREATER ST. LOUIS HONOR FLIGHT

### HON. BLAINE LUETKEMEYER

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. LUETKEMEYER. Madam Speaker, I rise to congratulate the Greater St. Louis Honor Flight on their 100th flight and thank them for honoring our veterans in such a meaningful way. Organizations like the Honor Flight Network let Missouri veterans know how truly grateful we are for service and sacrifice in the name of freedom.

The Honor Flight Network has been flying veterans from the Greater St. Louis Area to Washington DC since 2008, allowing those who protected our great country to see the grand memorials erected in their honor. On November 1st the Greater St. Louis Honor Flight completed its 100th flight. It is now one of only two chapters in the country to reach that milestone. Missouri's 3rd District is the proud home of thousands of veterans. While we can never thank our heroes enough for what they've done for each and every one of us, programs like the Honor Flight do a great job of reminding them how much we value their service and of our dedication to honoring them now and far into the future.

Madam Speaker, please join me in congratulating the Greater St. Louis Honor Flight on their 100th flight.

IN RECOGNITION OF CHIEF FRANK FREDERICKSON

# HON. WILLIAM R. KEATING

OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. KEATING. Madam Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Chief Frank Frederickson as he retires from the Yarmouth Police Department after 45 years of dedicated service.

Chief Frederickson first began his extensive career with the Yarmouth Police Department in 1977 as a summer officer and was brought on full-time as a patrol officer in 1979. Over the years, Chief Frederickson rose through the ranks, being promoted to detective, patrol sergeant, detective sergeant, lieutenant, deputy chief of police, and finally chief of police in 2010.

During his time with the Yarmouth Police Department, Chief Frederickson continuously worked to make sure that residents felt safe in their community and strove to foster a strong relationship between the people of Yarmouth and their police department. Through an active outreach program, the use of social media, and programs like *Coffee with the Chief*—a monthly event that allows the community to come together to connect with the Chief and

the Yarmouth Police Department to ask questions and hear more about the police department's work—Chief Frederickson aimed to ensure that the community felt informed and that their voices were heard. These efforts did not go unnoticed; the Yarmouth Police Department was the recipient of the New England Association of Chiefs of Police Community Policing Award several times under Chief Frederickson's leadership.

Holding an associate's, bachelor's, and master's degree in criminal justice from Cape Cod Community College, Northeastern University, and Anna Maria College, respectively, Chief Frederickson has been a leader in public safety and criminal justice not only in his own community, but also across the Commonwealth and throughout the New England region. During his 12 years as chief, Frederickson sat on the Executive Board of the New England Association of Chiefs of Police and served as president of the Cape and Islands Police Chiefs Association and the Southeastern Massachusetts Police Chiefs Association.

After 45 years of service, Chief Frederickson retires from the Yarmouth Police Department on October 31st. Chief Frederickson has dedicated his career to serving the people of Yarmouth, and I wish him many years of well-deserved happiness in retirement with his children and wife. Michelle.

Madam Speaker, I am proud to honor Chief Frank Frederickson. I ask that my colleagues join me in recognizing his career and commitment to serving his community.

HONORING MR. PAUL BLOW

### HON. KAT CAMMACK

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  $Thursday,\,November\,\,3,\,2022$ 

Mrs. CAMMACK. Madam Speaker, on behalf of Florida's Third Congressional District, we honor Mr. Paul Blow for receiving the Congressional Gold Medal for his services to the U.S. Merchant Marines during World War II.

The Congressional Gold Medal is the highest honor bestowed by the U.S. Congress and is given to honor those whose dedication, heroism, and public service have created a lasting impact on American history.

The United States will always be grateful to the thousands of Merchant Marines for the gallant support of our nation during times of both peace and conflict.

RECOGNIZING DANIEL FRANKLIN

## HON. ERIC SWALWELL

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Thursday, November 3, 2022

Mr. SWALWELL. Madam Speaker, I rise today, along with Congressman MARK DESAULNIER, to recognize Daniel "Dan" Franklin—a distinguished World War II veteran, and a loving father, grandfather, and great grandfather—who has just celebrated his 95th birthday.

Dan was 16 when he joined the Navy in 1942 and was only 17 on D-Day, where his landing craft was charged with delivering soldiers and ammunition to Omaha Beach. The